The Maine Department of Health and Human Services Bureau of Health

Highest priority for flu vaccines:

- High-Risk Children (all children 6-23 months and children 2-18 years with underlying chronic medical conditions, including those on chronic aspirin therapy);
- Appropriate residents of long-term care facilities.

And the <u>most vulnerable</u> members of the following groups:

- Adults 65 years and older;
- Other adults with chronic underlying medical conditions;
- Women who will be pregnant during the influenza season.

Priority groups on standby:

- Healthcare workers involved in direct patient care; and
- Caregivers of infants younger than 6 months.

For more information contact:

• <u>www.mainepublichealth.gov</u> or call the Maine Flu Vaccine Hot Line at 1-888-257-0990